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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend claims 1-2, 14-15 and 26-27 as follows:

- Sub B1
1. (Amended) An information processing apparatus comprising:
storage means for storing created or changed data in a given state, wherein said given state is based on time information corresponding to a time at which said data is stored;
day and time setting means for setting a desired day and time; and
control means for locating data stored at said set day and time based on said time information and for reproducing said given state of said data at said time at which said data was stored.
 2. (Amended) An information processing apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said storage means stores a created or changed file in a given state, wherein said given state is based on time information corresponding to a time at which said file is stored, said day and time setting means sets said desired day and time according to a past or future screen, and said control means locates a file stored at said set day and time based on said time information, loads a corresponding past or future screen from said storage means, and reproduces said given state of said file along with said corresponding past or future screen.
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